

his office and ordered them to get after disorderly flats.

Jury in Judge Fake's court decided "26" game was gambling and fined Walter Snell, saloonkeeper, 756 E. 63d st., \$100 on each of three counts.

Old divorce commission, headed by Judge Kavanaugh, met again yesterday and will fight for marriage reforms.

County officials predict decided raise in taxes in 1914.

Father P. J. O'Callaghan, St. Mary's church, says tango will soon be driven back to "dens."

Burglar got \$2,500 worth of jewelry from home of Mrs. G. H. Middlebrook, 5936 S. Park av.

Burglars got \$220 in cash and \$150 jewels from home of J. B. Brockman, 504 S. Clinton av., Oak Park.

Public utilities act will abolish railroad pass evil after Jan. 1.

TAKES RAP AT HEARST AND OTIS IN MEXICO DEAL

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 22.—The address of John Cannon, Illinois delegate, before the A. F. of L. convention during the discussion of the Mexican situation at last night's session, was the subject of considerable comment among delegates today. He denounced Harrison G. Otis and Wm. R. Hearst for their attitude towards the whole Mexican problem.

"These men," said he, "the editors of big newspapers, have vast holdings in Mexico by virtue of the support they gave Porfirio Diaz. They now demand American intervention in an effort to retain control of their land and mines. They would sacrifice the lives of American soldiers to protect their interests."

The resolutions adopted by the convention, indorsing Pres. Wilson's policy of peace, condemned "attempts being made by American and foreign corporations and certain jingo newspapers to force armed intervention by the United States."

The federation refused to adopt a

resolution condemning armed intervention on the ground that such intervention might be justifiable. During the debate Pres. Gompers eulogized Francisco Madero and denounced Pres. Huerta as an assassin.

HOYNE SAYS THAT SOMETHING IS DOING IN REFORM LINES

State's Att'y Maclay Hoyne sounded the approach of a new era of reform in a speech made before the Illinois State's Attorneys' Ass'n last night.

"I want to tell you state's attorneys that something is doing along reform lines," Mr. Hoyne said, "and that you should get busy with remedial legislation. If you don't the layman will, and the result may be that laws will be enacted that may be what is not desired or needed. You should get busy now."

The Cook county prosecutor also spoke of the attacks that have been made upon him in Chicago.

"I have been criticized," he said, "for playing the part of a policeman and doing gumshoe work. I have done and will do such work any time it is necessary. I became a gumshoe man because it was necessary and because I believed I could accomplish results better than in other ways. I have gone into other states and helped local officers break down doors if necessary to get the man wanted here, and I have within the last three months even brought such men wanted here, and without papers at that. It was about the only way it could be done."

A member enlivened a political club luncheon recently by telling the story of a certain famous politician who attended a banquet at which it was expected important speeches would be made. A dish of whitebait was set before him and, after looking at the fish and then at the other guests, he remarked: "Gentlemen, let us follow the example of these little fish—drink a great deal and say nothing!"